

To: Arguto, William[Arguto.William@epa.gov]
Cc: duteau, helen[Duteau.Helen@EPA.GOV]; Wisniewski, Patti-Kay[Wisniewski.Patti-Kay@epa.gov]
From: binetti, victoria
Sent: Sat 1/18/2014 9:35:42 PM
Subject: Fw: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl: 1/20 (the holiday)

Bill, possibly check with Steve Allgeier, David Travers, to see if they can provide definitive answer (although HSCD team may have handled this).

Helen, pls include Bill in these emails, as I'll be out of pocket a bit.--Vicky

From: duteau, helen
Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:19:53 PM
To: Hodgkiss, Kathy; Burns, Francis; Werner, Lora; binetti, victoria; Capacasa, Jon
Cc: Garvin, Shawn; White, Terri-A
Subject: Fw: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl: 1/20 (the holiday)

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From: Jones, Enesta
Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:09:04 PM
To: Cohen, Nancy; duteau, helen; Smith, Bonnie; Thomas, Latosha; Deitz, Randy
Cc: Bloomgren, David; Behringer, Caroline; Hull, George; Jones, Enesta
Subject: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl: 1/20 (the holiday)

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This is for an article on TheSurvivalDoctor.com scheduled for Monday.

From: **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** @thesurvivaldoctor.com>
Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 2:27:08 PM
To: Jones, Enesta
Subject: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal?

P.S. Hi, Enesta. I forgot to mention that apparently Eastman, the company behind the spill, is using powdered activated charcoal in the clean-up, so that especially makes me wonder about my question below. Thanks again.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy <thesurvivaldoctor.com>
Subject: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal?
Date: January 17, 2014 at 8:33:03 PM MST
To: press@epa.gov
Cc: jones.enesta@epa.gov

Dear EPA,

I emailed Cathy Milbourn and received an auto response directing me your way. I have a question about the West Virginia chemical spill. Could you tell me whether activated charcoal for home use (like in a special water bottle or a filter you can attach to your faucet) will work on MCHM? I've searched and searched for an answer and can't even find a "nobody knows," so anything would help.

This is for an article on TheSurvivalDoctor.com scheduled for Monday. This evidence-based blog written by a family doctor is the number-one survival-medicine site. It receives almost 400,000 unique visitors per month.

Thank you in advance for any help you could provide,

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Editorial Consultant